

THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL (VARIOUS ROADS, TAIN) (20 MPH AND 30 MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 2022 AND ASSOCIATED TRAFFIC CALMING

Statement of Reasons

In the interests of road safety and casualty reduction and in line with the new Scottish Government Commitment for all appropriate roads in built up areas to have a safer speed limit of 20 mph by 2025 and the furtherance of the Council desire to provide 20mph speed limits in town and village centres and residential areas, to encourage active and sustainable travel and improve the safety of our vulnerable road users it is proposed to introduce a 20 mph speed limit on a number of roads in Tain.

The 30 mph speed limit is also being proposed in the interests of road safety as well as to encourage active and sustainable travel and improve the safety of our vulnerable road users in Tain.

Traffic calming is being proposed within the 20 mph speed limit at various locations in the interests of road safety and designing the speed limit to have good compliance without additional enforcement.